

TRAILHEADS

HELL'S GATE WILDERNESS

Not uncommonly one of the more challenging parts of a backcountry trip is attempting to find the trailhead itself. To assist you in reaching the jumping-off place, we have developed the following directions to the trailhead named below:

Hell's Gate Ridge TH From the intersection with Highway 87, follow Highway 260 east out of Payson 11.4 miles to Forest Road 405A on the right (just east of Little Green Valley). Drive down 405A one-half of mile, then turn right at a cement water trough (at Forest Road 893). This area is an excellent place to begin your trip, especially if horses are involved. It is also possible to drive further down Road 893 if you have four-wheel drive vehicle.

Be sure to secure your vehicle, and don't leave valuables in sight while you gone. Also be sure someone knows where you are going.

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